Receipts and Expenditures of the Susquehanna and Tide Water Canals, for the last quarter of 1844.

The report heretofore transmitted for the third quarter of 1844, showed a balance of	..	$2,530 93
To which add this amount there erroneously entered paid to J. S. Cash, as it was not paid from funds of this year, . . .		54 12
Received Tolls in October, .	$10,580 27	
" " November, .	10,804 53	
" " December, .	1,394 45	
	22,779 25	
Less drawbacks allowed. . .	175 59	
		22,603 66
		25,188 71
Expenditures for same period—		
Office and management expenses, including salaries of President and Treasurer, ...	1,037 53	
Expenses of the line, . . .	5,740 96	
Damages, including expenses of juries and witnesses, . . .	2,067 26	
Interest on mortgage debts, . .	2,520 99	
State of Maryland, . . .	10,000 00	
		21,366 74
		$3,821 97

STATE OF MARYLAND, *Baltimore city, to wit.*

On this 14th day of January, 1845, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for said city, personally appeared Thomas M. Abbett, Treasurer, and affirmed, that the within is a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Susquehanna Canal Company, and the Tidewater Canal Company for the last quarter of 1844.

Affirmed to before SIMON KEMP.

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BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
January 18, 1845.

Read and ordered to be printed.

COMMUNICATIONS

FROM THE

TOBACCO INSPECTORS

IN BALTIMORE CITY,

TO THE

General Assembly of Maryland.

COMMUNICATION.

STATE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE, No. 3.
Baltimore, 10th January, 1845.

To the Honorable,
The Speaker of the House of Delegates:

SIR: I have the honor of submitting the following report of the transactions of this warehouse for the past year:

Whole amount of receipts from the 1st November, 1843, to 31st October, 1844, for outage, scraps, extra storage, weights, &c., as per returns in Treasurer's office, - - - -		$14,331 60
The amount of expenses for the same time, as per returns, - -	$10,213 14	
Amount returned Treasurer, -	4,118 46	
		14,331 60
Tobacco in warehouse 1st January, 1844, -		2,472 hhds.
do inspection in '44, from Penna.	17 hhds.	
do do do Virginia,	28 "	
do do do Kentucky,	222 "	
do do do Ohio,	6158 "	
do do do Maryland,	5032 "	
		11,457 "
		13,929 "
Shipped in '44, 10,963 hhds—condemned 15 hhds.		10,978 "
Remaining in warehouse 1st January, 1845,		2,951 "

I have been compelled to store out about 4500 hhds. of Tobacco for the past year, at an expense of at least $2,250, and there is still remaining stored out about 500 hhds.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

NICHOLAS DORSEY of L., Inspector.

To the Honorable,

The Speaker of the House of Delegates:

The undersigned, inspector of Tobacco, at warehouse No. 4 in the city of Baltimore, beg leave to make the following

REPORT:

I entered on the duties of inspector on the afternoon of the 2nd of March, 1844.

Amount of Tobacco inspected by my predecessor, from the 1st of January, 1844, to the 2nd of March, 1844, - - - -		191 hhds.
Amount inspected by me, from the 2nd of March, 1844, to 1st of January, 1845, - -		12,139 "
		12,330 "
Different kinds—		
Ohio, - - - - - -		6,452 "
Maryland, - - - - -		5,573 "
Kentucky, - - - - -		165 "
Virginia, - - - - -		91 "
Indiana, - - - -		30 "
Stems, - - - - -		19 "
		12,330 "
Stock on hand 1st January, 1844, - -		2,287 "
Inspected in 1844, - - - -		12,330 "
		14,617 "
Shipped by me from 2nd of March, 1844, to the 1st of January, 1845, - -	11,530	
Shipped from the 1st January, 1844, to the 2nd of March, 1844, - -	702	
Shipped in 1844. - -		12,232 "
Stock on hand January 1st, 1845 - -		2,385 "
		14,617 "
The whole amount returned by me from 2nd of March, 1844, to 31st October, 1844, for outage, scraps, extra storage, weight, &c. as per return to Treasurer, - - - -		$13,197 14
The current expenses for the time were	$8,682 09	
Amount paid Treasurer, -	4,515 05	
		$13,197 14

All of which is respectfully submitted,

S. R. WATERS, Inspector.

January 15th, 1845.

State Tobacco Warehouse, No. 3., }
Baltimore, 16th January, 1845. }

To the Honorable

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Sir—I am in receipt of order of the House requiring the "Inspectors of Tobacco in the city of Baltimore to make known to the House, under oath, the actual amount paid to hands employed in their respective Warehouses, per day, per week, or year, and who are in the constant habit of weighing Tobacco and calling out the weights."

In reply to the first enquiry, I would reply that it has been for a long time, always, I believe, the custom to pay the laborers in the Warehouse $1 00 per day, and I have always adhered to this practice, and have charged the same for my own hands.

In reply to the second, I reply that all Tobacco is weighed by a clerk, who enters it upon a slate, from which it is copied on the Tobacco book; and no one is in a constant habit of calling the weights.

Very respectfully,
Your ob't. servant,
NICHOLAS DORSEY, of L., Inspector.

State of Maryland, *City of Baltimore, to wit:*

On the 17th day of January, 1845, before the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said city, personally appeared Nicholas Dorsey, of L., Inspector of Tobacco at Warehouse, No. 3, in the city of Baltimore, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the answers made in the foregoing letter, under a resolution of the House of Delegates, are true.

Sworn to before
A. H. PENNINGTON.

BALTIMORE, January 17, 1845.

To the Honorable

Speaker of the House of Delegates:

SIR—In accordance with an order of the House of Delegates, requiring the Inspectors of Tobacco to make known to said House, under oath, the actual amount paid to hands employed by them, per day, week, or year, and who are in the habit of weighing Tobacco.

To the first enquiry, I reply that I have paid to each and every hand $1 00 per day, allowing the same for my own, and that I have never employed any by the week, or year. To the second enquiry, I reply that one of the clerks attend to the weighing and marking of all Tobacco, except what I do myself.

Yours, respectfully,

JOS. S. WILSON.

STATE OF MARYLAND, *City of Baltimore, Ss.*

Be it remembered, that on this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for the city of Baltimore aforesaid, personally appeared Joseph S. Wilson, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that all the matters, facts and things set forth in the aforegoing report, to which he has subscribed his name, are just and true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to before

GEO. P. WOODWARD.

STATE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE, No. 4.

To the Honorable

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

SIR:—I received this day an order of the House, requiring the Inspectors of Tobacco in the city of Baltimore, to make known to the House under oath, the actual amount paid to hands employed in their respective Warehouses, per day, per week, and per year. And who are in the constant habit of weighing Tobacco, and calling out the weights.

In reply to the first interrogatory, I answer that before I entered on the duties of the office, I was informed that I would find it necessary as Inspector, to have eight or ten hands perfectly under my control, as my own to be always at my bidding, and as I had not the necessary number of my own, I was induced to hire from their masters by the year, subject to be discharged whenever they did not discharge their duty, six hands who had been employed by my predecessor, for several years, I received for their services as well as for the services of those I brought with me from the country, $1 per day for every day they worked for the State, which was the price always paid to laborers in the Warehouses, I found no copy of the laws regulating the inspection of Tobacco, and had to act from precedent. After I commenced work, I hired two others, slaves, by the month, finding some of those I had did not suit me, they worked a few months for which I also received $1 per day, for every day they worked. The other hands which I found it necessary to employ, as I wanted them, have been white men and free negroes, who have all received their one dollar per day, for every day they worked. And as I consider my own hands and those I hired from their masters, which were mine, for the time I hired them, equal to any others, I had a right to receive for their services the same amount, I paid to others.

In reply to the 2nd Interrogatory I answer, all the Tobacco is weighed by a Clerk, who enters it upon a slate, from which it is copied in the books of the Warehouse. And no one is in the constant habit of calling out the weights.

Very respectfully,

S. R. WATERS, Inspector.

January 17th, 1845.

STATE OF MARYLAND, *Baltimore City, to wit:*

On this 17th day of January, 1845, before the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace, of the State of Maryland, in and for said city, personally appeared S. R. Waters, Inspector of Tobacco at Warehouse, No. 4, in the city of Baltimore, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the answers contained in the foregoing letter in pursuance of a resolution of the House of Delegates, are true.

Sworn to Before

A. H. PENNINGTON.

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